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(EO/US) - ENTRY INTO NATIONAL STAGE UNDER 35 USC 371

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PHOTOSENSITIVE PLASTICS FILMS AND INFORMATION STORAGE
DEVICES

Title of Invention

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Sir:

Applicant herewith submits to the United States Elected Office
(EO/US) the following items under 35 USC 371:

- (1) This express request to immediately begin national examination procedures (35 USC 371(f)).
- (2) A copy of the cover sheet for the published International Application along with a copy of the specification as filed: 10 pages, including 2 pages of claims and a copy of the 3 page International Search Report.
- (3) a copy of the 4 page Request form.
- (4) a first Preliminary Amendment for entry prior to calculation of the filing fees.

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- (5) our check in the amount of \$860.00, covering the basic national fee as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(a)(5) and based on the first Preliminary Amendment (5 total claims; 1 independent; and no multiple dependent)
- (6) A Second Preliminary Amendment.
- (7) Our check in the amount of \$80.00, covering the extra claim fees after entry of the second Preliminary Amendment (17 total claims; 4 independent; and no multiple dependent).
- (8) an eight (8) page executed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney.

Copies of the following miscellaneous items are also enclosed:

- (8) Copy of the 3 page Demand for International Preliminary Examination.
- (9) Copy of the 4 page International Preliminary Examination Report.
- (10) Copy of the 1 page Notification of the Recording of a Change.

Please charge any additional fees which may be required to effect entry into the National Phase and credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-3040.

Please direct all communications concerning this application to the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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METHOD OF PAYMENT

1. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayments to:
 Deposit Account Number **08-3040**
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 Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17
 Applicant claims small entity status.
 See 37 CFR 1.27
 2. Payment Enclosed:
 Check Credit card Money Order Other

FEE CALCULATION

1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	710	201	355	Utility filing fee	
106	320	206	160	Design filing fee	
107	490	207	245	Plant filing fee	
108	710	208	355	Reissue filing fee	
114	150	214	75	Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1) (\$)

2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
17	-20** =	0 x 18 =	0
Independent Claims	4	- 3** = 1 x 80 =	80
Multiple Dependent		270 =	0

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	80	202	40	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	270	204	135	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	80	209	40	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) (\$ 80.00)

*or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116	390	216	195	Extension for reply within second month	
117	890	217	445	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,390	218	695	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,890	228	945	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	310	219	155	Notice of Appeal	
120	310	220	155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	270	221	135	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,240	241	620	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,240	242	620	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	440	243	220	Design issue fee	
144	600	244	300	Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
126	240	126	240	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	710	246	355	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149	710	249	355	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179	710	279	355	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other fee (specify) _____

*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid

SUBTOTAL (3) (\$)

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